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Title: Fuel Cell System

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(X) No additional fee
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(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	30	MINUS	30	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	4	= 0	X \$20	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$36	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00	2ND MONTH \$450.00	3RD MONTH \$1020.00	4TH MONTH \$1580.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 3, 2006, subjecting Claims 1-30 to restriction in the above-identified patent application. Applicants are given one (1) month in which to respond.